



## Anthony "Tony" Peter Laterzo

May 9, 1957 - May 2, 2024

Anthony "Tony" Peter Laterzo, age 66 of Gary (Miller) Indiana, was born May 9, 1957, in Gary, Indiana and died Thursday, May 2, 2024, as the result of a motorcycle accident in Miller, Indiana.

He was a member of and retired from Millwrights Local 1076. Tony was a 1975 graduate of Andean High School. He loved riding his Harley Davidson motorcycle! He also had a passion for music, golf, and fishing.

Tony was preceded in death by his parents; Anthony R. Laterzo and Anne Petrovich, son; Anthony R.V. Laterzo, brother; Robert (Charlotte) Laterzo. He is survived by his wife; Robin G. (nee Theil) Laterzo of Miller, Indiana. Daughter; Anastasia T.A. Laterzo and partner Mitchell Prorwicz of Portage, Indiana. Robin's sons; Kyle Dunn, Devin Dunn, his cat; Jasper, brother; Rocco (Kathleen) Laterzo, nieces; Delisa, Charlotte Anne, nephews; Rocco, Chris, Marc, and several great-nieces and great-nephews.

Family and friends are invited to gather at Rush St. Beach in Miller on Tuesday, May 14, 2024, from 4-5 PM to remember Tony. Immediately after there will be a party for Tony at the Flamingo Restaurant 8341 Locust Ave. Miller. Burns Funeral Home & Crematory entrusted with arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Family and Friends

MAY 14. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Rush Street Beach  
Miller, IN

## Celebration of Life

MAY 14. 5:30 PM (CT)

Flamingo Pizza  
8341 Locust Ave  
Miller, IN 46403

# Tribute Wall

MF

“ My condolences to the family on the loss of Tony. I have great memories of the fun we shared on and off the job. He will be missed. See you on the other side old friend hopefully in a trout stream fishing. Mike Forney

Mike Forney - May 14, 2024 at 06:38 PM

DS

“ Duane and Melissa Stachowski planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anthony "Tony" Peter Laterzo.

Duane and Melissa Stachowski - May 14, 2024 at 11:28 AM

DS

“ Duane and Melissa Stachowski purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Anthony "Tony" Peter Laterzo.



Duane and Melissa Stachowski - May 14, 2024 at 11:28 AM

PF

“ Prorwicz family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Anthony "Tony" Peter Laterzo.



Prorwicz family - May 10, 2024 at 11:18 AM

GB

“ *The Laterzo family is in our thoughts and prayers. May he rest in peace and forever be in your hearts.*

*Robert and Gabriella Bianco*

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**Gabriella Bianco** - May 08, 2024 at 05:33 PM

MC

“ *I was introduced to Tony thru my Husband (JimBo). I knew Tony for almost 2 (very short) years, but in that time I grew to love him. I would always tell him how much he reminded me of my Dad. I'm gonna miss a lot of things about Tony; his kindness, friendship, definitely his jokes, but MOST of all I'm gonna miss seeing him pulling up to the shop on his motorcycle with his big smile on his face, and getting off his bike and giving me a kiss on the cheek and a big hug! He was for sure ONE of a kind!*

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**Misti Carlson** - May 08, 2024 at 04:34 PM

SP

*Have known Tony many years, back in the old Beach Cafe days, knowing great music one of his favorite was "Summer Wind" now I'll always think of him when I hear it. Rest in peace my friend.*

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**Susan Paris** - May 09, 2024 at 01:47 PM

KS

“ *God Bless Our Great Friend Tony 🙏  
From St Mary Grade school to Andean to growing up in Miller Beach - Always great memories !!!  
In God's Hands Now 🙏 - Forever in Our Hearts ❤️  
Kenny & Pam Shultz  
Miller Beach*

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**Kenny & Pamela Shultz** - May 07, 2024 at 08:45 AM

TI

*Our family's condolences to the entire laterzo family*

**Thomas iatarola** - May 07, 2024 at 11:04 AM

RL

*We will miss you greatly, younger brother. Love Rocco*

**Rocco Laterzo** - May 07, 2024 at 01:20 PM

DE

*Condolences to Robin & His daughter Stasia & his extended family. He left this world doing something he loved. May his spirit live on in Miller beach. A place he was proud to call home. Rest with your boy now, Tony.*

**Diane Edwards** - May 07, 2024 at 08:47 PM

GJ

*Thinking of you and Robin in this time of sorrow. Next ride is for you brother.*

**Gary Jacob** - May 08, 2024 at 08:19 AM

NM

*I'm so sorry for the loss of such a great man. I remember him well during our youth in Miller.*

**Natalie Parfenoff Matuszak** - May 08, 2024 at 08:45 AM

SB

*Godspeed brother, you will be missed by many BigAtone...*

**Scott Ballogg** - May 08, 2024 at 02:03 PM

BJ

*My Condolences to you, Robin, and the rest of the family. I'll never forget BigATone's inability to have a bad time. I drove a crew of Millerites to Andrean every day for 3 years and Tony was my first pickup. I felt like Tony was almost a younger brother. In later years I would have the good fortune of having him come out to ski, or stop while passing through Denver. I am especially grateful that he and I had spoken a week or two before he fell. We had a great time reliving special moments on our drive to schooling the mornings, one morning in particular actually. BigATone I will miss you until the day I fall, and I loved you very much. Slaintè my Brother, we'll ride soon. Brendan*

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**Brendan Joyce** - May 09, 2024 at 12:33 PM

DR

*What can I say besides Tony was awesome! He is missed by so very many people. My heart goes out to all his family and friends. There are no words to express the sorrow. I will think of everyone often and wish healing and peace to all. Bless Tony in his new adventure! Until we meet again Tony! I will carry all the memories of you with me.*

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**Deanna Reyno** - May 13, 2024 at 03:13 PM

SK

*I became friends with Tony at Andrean High School and he was an awesome buddy. I worked at the beach stand with his mom and him for a memorable summer and spent so many days with him and his family. We listened to The Who's Quadrophenia album and it still reminds me of him. He was always a welcoming man and always had an open door or parking space for our days at the beach. I recently spoke with him about his health and he said he was ready for whatever he was destined for. I will always have a special place in my heart and memories of Tony. Prayers for his family for God's healing peace. Peace to you my friend.*

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**Stevie Kokos** - May 14, 2024 at 03:13 PM